CONTINENTAL CABLEVISION SURVEY - 05-03-96

VERSION 4

HELLO MY NAME IS ----- WITH THE RESEARCH NETWORK AND WE ARE CONDUCTING A SURVEY ABOUT YOUR CABLE TELEVISION SERVICE. MAY I SPEAK TO THE MALE / FEMALE HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD [ROTATE SEX ACROSS SURVEYS].

- A) Do you currently subscribe to cable television?
 - 1) No -----> THANK AND TERMINATE
 - 2) Yes ----> CONTINUE
- B) Are you familiar with the term leased access channels?
 - 1) No ----- CONTINUE
 - 2) Yes -----> READ: As you know, (CONTINUE)
- 1) Leased access channels are channels that are required to be carried by your cable company. These channels are available to the public so that someone can buy air time on a channel. Unlike the channels which are selected by your cable company based upon expected popularity, these channels are programmed at the sole discretion of the person buying the time. Typically, this programming focuses on various topics such as infomercials, home shopping, and ethnically oriented programs. On a scale of 1 to 10 where TEN means 'very appealing' and ONE means 'not at all appealing' how appealing is this type of programming to you?

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- 2) The Federal Communications Commission, which governs your local cable company, has proposed new rules for the pricing of leased access channels. These rules may cause existing channels that are currently carried to be eliminated from your cable service. This includes networks such as Comedy Central, The Family Channel, Lifetime, the TV Food Network, BET, Headline News, and the Prevue Guide Channel. Would you be in favor of these proposed changes?
 - 1) Yes
 - 2) No
 - 3) NOT SURE VOLUNTEERED ONLY

3) Would this replacement of channels cause you to make any changes in your cable subscription?
1) Yes> GO TO QUESTION 3A
2) No GO TO QUESTION 4
3A) What changes would you make? [DO NOT READ LIST]
1) Drop a premium service
2) Discontinue your cable service
OTHER RESPONSES - FILL IN:
4) Which of the following statements would best describe your feelings if the networks mentioned earlier were replaced with the leased access channels we have been discussing
My satisfaction with the channels offered would be decreased
My satisfaction with the channels offered would remain about the sa
My satisfaction with the channels offered would be increased
5) If you look at the overall cost for Lifeline, Basic and Satellite service, each of the channels that you receive costs about sixty cents. How much would you be willing to pay for each of the proposed leased access channels you could receive. READ LIST AND THEN GET AN ANSWER
1) Forty cents or more
2) Twenty-one to Forty Cents
or
3) One to Twenty Cents
6) NOTHING> VOLUNTEERED ONLY
A) How long have you had cable service at your current address?

1)

2)

3)

ATTACHMENT 3:

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL IMPACT OF LOST PENETRATION ON EBITDA

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Continental Cablevision, Inc. Impact of CLA Rules on Penetration and EBITDA

		Various	Demand Sc	enarios
Data Items:	CCI Wtd. <u>Avg. Data</u>	Best Case	Middle <u>Case</u>	Worst <u>Case</u>
Total Activated Channels	56			
Must Carry Channels	5			
Activated Channels Subject to Set Aside	51			
Set Aside Requirement	<u>15%</u>			
CLA Set Aside Channels (on BST or CPST)	8			
Channels Used for CLA (based on demand)		2	4	8
Monthly BST + CPST Rate	\$24.00			
EBITDA Margin	50%			
Homes Passed (in 000's)	7,200			ļ
Current Penetration	58.00%			
Impact of CLA on Penetration (per CLA Channel)	-1.0%			
Penetration After CLA		56.00%	54.00%	50.00%
Subscribers After CLA (in 000's)	4,176	4,032	3,888	3,600
Annual Penetration Impact from CLA (in \$000s):				
Monthly BST + CPST Rate	\$24.00	\$24.00	\$24.00	\$24.00
Subscribers	4.176	4,032	<u>3,888</u>	3,600
Monthly BST + CPST Revenue	\$100,224	\$96,768	\$93,312	\$86,400
12 Months	12	12	12	12
Annual BST + CPST Revenue	\$1,202,688	\$1,161,216	\$1,119,744	\$1,036,800
EBITDA Margin	50%	50%		
EBITOA	\$601,344	\$580,608		i i
EBITEA Lost Due to CLA		\$20,736	\$41.472	\$82.944
EBITDA Lost Due to CLA per Sub. per Mo. per CLA Ch	annel	\$0.2143	\$0.2222	\$0,2400

ATTACHMENT 4:

SUMMARY OF CONTINENTAL'S FILED COST-OF-SERVICE RATES

Commercial Leased Access Cost of Service Franchises Test Year Data as of 12/31/93 Adjusted

	Region/ Filing Entity:		Per Subscriber Per Month Per Channel Revenue Requirement		
	Chinaga/Ct David		рот	ODOT	Average BST
1	Chicago/St. Paul: Peotone		BST	CPST	& CPST
-			\$0.84	\$1.00	\$0.94
	Rolling Meadows Romeoville		0.80	0.93	0.88
	St. Paul		0.72	0.82	0.78
4	St. Paul		0.91	0.76	0.82
	Florida/Georgia/Virginia:				
_	Jacksonville		0.59	0.63	0.61
	Peninsula		1. 94	2.06	2.01
7	Pompano		0.82	0.92	0.88
	Illinois/lowa:				
8	Jennings		1.34	1.41	1.38
9	Lake St. Louis		0.90	0.99	0.95
10	Overland		1.32	1.38	1.36
11	Scott Air Force Base		0.84	0.95	0.91
	New England:				
12	Cambridge		0.89	0.83	0.85
13	Central Area		0.66	0.70	0.68
14	Exeter Acquired		0.55	0.65	0.61
15	Exeter Built		0.71	0.79	0.76
16	Marion		1.24	1.09	1.15
17	Marlborough		0.85	0.91	0.89
18	Middleborough		0.52	0.60	0.57
19	Northern Area		0.61	0.57	0.59
20	Orleans		1.75	1.46	1.57
21	Provincetown		1.76	1.26	1.46
22	Western Area		0.76	0.66	0.70
	Southern California:				
23	Los Angeles - Area J		0.55	0.66	0.62
	Carson		0.66	0.77	0.72
25	Corona		0.61	0.72	0.68
26	Downey		0.58	0.71	0.66
	Pomona		0.77	0.89	0.84
	Western New England:				
28	Holland		0.60	0.71	0.67
	Northampton New		0.67	0.68	0.68
	Springfield		0.58	0.55	0.56
	Westchester (Non-Rebuild)		0.93	1.00	0.97
	Westchester (Rebuild)		0.00	0.00	0.00
		Average	\$0.85	\$0.88	0.87

ATTACHMENT 5: AFFIDAVIT OF CATHLEEN A. SCHULTZ

Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of

Implementation of Sections of the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992: Rate Regulation

Leased Commercial Access

MM Docket No. 92-266 CS Docket No. 96-60

AFFIDAVIT OF CATHLEEN A. SCHULTZ

- 1. My name is Cathleen A. Schultz. I am employed as a senior legal assistant in the law offices of Cole, Raywid & Braverman.
- 2. As part of my job responsibilities, I frequently conduct research relating to broadcast television stations, including determining the particular stations that serve a given Designated Market Area (DMA). I am familiar with all of the standard industry reference materials providing information regarding such broadcast stations.
- 3. I was asked by my employer to contact the commercial broadcast television stations within the Washington, D.C. DMA to determine how much those television stations charge for the sale of time to third parties. Based on the *Nielsen Station Index*, I determined the broadcast stations serving the Washington area, as well as the number of television households within that area. I have attached the relevant pages from this reference source to this Affidavit.
- 4. I telephoned each of the ten (10) commercial stations serving the Washington DMA to obtain information regarding their rates for the sale of time. Nine of the ten responded to my inquiries.

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- 5. All of the stations sell time in blocks of 1/2 hour. With the exception of WTMW (Channel 14), a Home Shopping station in Northern Virginia, none of the broadcasters sold time during "prime time," i.e., early evening time during the week, and in all cases the available times were quite limited. The specific times available from each broadcaster are shown on the attached chart.
- 6. Based on the information I received, I selected the lowest per-half-hour charge available from each station, irrespective of time period. I averaged these figures together to obtain an average lowest half-hour charge for all of the stations. The result was \$996. Similarly, I selected the highest per-half-hour charge for each station for any time period. The resulting average was \$6,867. I then converted these figures to monthly figures based on an assumed 24-hour day and an assumed 30-day month.
- 7. For both the highest and the lowest monthly figures, I calculated a per-viewer-per-month rate by dividing the monthly figures by 1,883,590, which is the number of viewers in the Washington DMA (determined from the *Nielsen Station Index*). This produced high and low per-viewer per-month rates of \$0.76 and \$5.25.
- 8. Finally, to create an illustrative overall rate, I weighted these two figures together, with 90% weighting to the lower figure and 10% weighting to the higher figure. This produced a weighted average per-viewer monthly cost of \$1.21.

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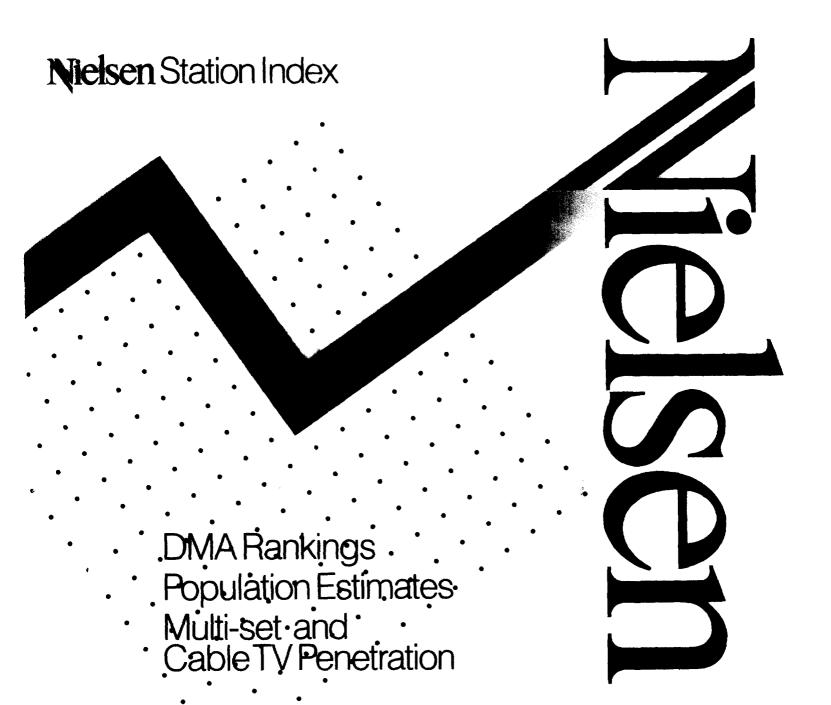
Subscribed and sworn to under penalty of perjury.

Cathleen A. Schultz

May 14, 1996

US Television Household Estimates

September 1995



DESIGNATED MARKET AREAS (DMA) (Stations Within DMA's) SECTION II

NOTE: For explanation of DMA County Assignments, see page A.

DESIGNATED MARKET AREAS (DMA)

DMA MARKET	STATION	NTV CH. AFF			DMA MARKET	STATION	CH.	NTWK. AFFIL.	CITY OF ORIGIN	
St. Louis	KDNL KETC KMOV KNLC KPLR KSDK KTVI WHSL	30 I-F 9 P 4 C 24 I 11 I 5 N 2 A 46 I	St Louis, MO		Tucson(Nogales)	KGUN KHRR KMSB KOLD KTTU KUAT KUAS KVOA	9 40 11 13 18 6 27 4	A I I-F C I P P N	Tucson, AZ Tucson, AZ Tucson Nogales, AZ Tucson, AZ Tucson, AZ Tucson, AZ Tucson, AZ Tucson, AZ	(\$)
Syracuse	WCNY WIXT WNYS WSTM WSYT WTVH	24 P 9 A 43 I 3 N 68 I-1 5 C	Syracuse, NY		Tulsa	KDOR KJRH KOED KOET KOKI KOTV KRSC	17 2 11 3 23 6 35	I N P P I-F C P	Bartlesville, OK Tulsa, OK Tulsa, OK Eufaula, OK Tulsa, OK Tulsa, OK Claremore, OK	(\$)
Tallahassee-Thomasville	WAB WBI WCTV WFSU	17 I 9 I 6 C 11 P 49 I-1	Tallahassee, FL Tallahassee, FL Thomasville, GA Tallahassee, FL Bainbridge, GA	(L)	Tuscaloosa	KTFO KTUL KWHB	41 8 47	I A I C	Tulsa, OK Tulsa, OK Tulsa, OK Tulsa, OK	
	WTLH WTWC WTXL	40 N 27 A	Tallahassee, FL Tallahassee, FL		Tuscaroosa	WDBB	33 17	I-F	Birmngham, Tusca, AL	
Tampa-St. Petersburg	WBHS WCLF WEDU	50 I 22 I 3 P	Tampa, FL Clearwater, FL Tampa, FL		Twin Falls	KIPT KKVI KMVT KTFT	13 35 11 38	P A C N	Boise, ID Twin Falls, ID Twin Falls, ID Twin Falls, ID	(L)
	WFCT WFLA WFTS WTMV WTOG	66 I 8 N 28 A 32 I 44 I	Bradenton, FL Tampa, FL Tampa, FL Lakeland, FL St Petersburg, FL		Tyler-Longview(Lfkn&Ncgd)	KLSB KFXK KLTV	56 19 51 7	N N I-F A	Jacksonville, TX Nacogdoches, TX Longview, TX Tyler, TX	(\$)
Sarasota	WTSP WTTA WTVT WUSF WBSV	10 C 38 I 13 I-I 16 P 62 I	St Petersburg, FL St Petersburg, FL Tampa, FL Tampa, FL Venice, FL		Utica	KTRE WFXV WKTV WUTR	9 33 2 20	A I-F N A	Lūfkin, TX Utica, NY Utica, NY Utica, NY	(\$)
Terre Haute	WWSB WBAK	40 A 38 I-I	Sarasota, FL Terre Haute, IN		Victoria	KAVU KVCT	25 19	A I-F	Victoria, TX. Victoria, TX	
refre naute	WTHI WTWO WUSI WVUT	10 C 2 N 16 P 22 P	Terre Haute, IN Terre Haute, IN Olney, IL Vincennes, IN		Waco-Temple-Bryan	KAMU KBTX KCEN KCTF	15 3 6	P C N P	College Station, TX Bryan, TX Temple, TX Waco. TX	
Toledo	WGTE WNWO WTOL WTVG WUPW	30 P 24 A 11 C 13 N 36 I-I	Toledo, OH Toledo, OH Toledo, OH Toledo, OH Toledo, OH			KNCT KWKT KWTX KXXV KYLE	34 46 44 10 25 28	P I-F C A I	Waco, TX Waco, TX Waco, TX Waco, TX Bryan, TX	
Topeka	KSNT KTKA KTMJ KTWU WIBW	27 N 49 A 6 I 11 P 13 C	Topeka, KS Topeka, KS Junction City, KS Topeka, KS Topeka, KS	(L)	Washington, DC	WDCA WETA WFTY WHMM WJLA	20 26 50 32 7	I P I P	Washington, DC Washington, DC Washington, DC Washington, DC Washington, DC Falls Church, VA	
Traverse City-Cadillac	WCMV WGKI WGKU WGTU WGTQ WPBN WTOM WTV WWTV	27 P 21 P 33 I-I 45 I-I 29 A 8 A 7 N 4 N 9 C	Cadillac, MI Manistee, MI Cadillac, MI	(S) (S) (S) (S)	Hagerstown	WNVC WNVT WRC WTMW WTTG WUSA WVVI WWPB WFPT WGPT WJAL	56 53 4 14 5 9 66 31 62 36 25	P N I-F C I P P N I	Falls Church, VA Goldvein, VA Washington, DC Arlington, VA Washington, DC Washington, DC Manassas, VA Hagerstown, MD Frederick, MD Oakland, MD Hagerstown, MD Hagerstown, MD	(S) (S)
Tri-Cities, TN-VA	WAP WCYB WEMT WJHL WKPT	30 I 5 N 39 I-I 11 C 19 A	Kingsport, TN Bristol, VA Greeneville, TN Johnson City, TN Kingsport, TN	(L)	Watertown	WNPE WNPI WWNY WWTI	16 18 7 50	P P C A	Watertown, NY Norwood, NY Watertown, NY Watertown, NY	(S)
	WMSY WSBN	52 P 47 P	Marion, VA Norton, VA		Wausau-Rhinelander	WAOW WHRM WLEF WJFW WSAW	9 20 36 12 7	A P P N C	Wausau, WI Wausau, WI Park Falls, WI Rhinelander, WI Wausau, WI	(\$)

A - American Broadcasting Company C - Columbia Broadcasting System N - National Broadcasting Company

I - Independent
P - Public Broadcasting Syste
I-F - Independent/Fox
I-S - Independent/Subscription
P-C - PBS-Commercial
(L) - Low Power
(S) - Satellite

U.S. TV HOUSEHOLD ESTIMATES

MULTI-SET BY DESIGNATED MARKET AREA (DMA)

DMA	DEMONATED MARKET AREA	HOUSEMOLDS (JAM. 1988)	MULTI-BET % (JULY 1985)	DMA CODE	DESIGNATED MARKET AREA	HOUSEHOLDS (JAN. 1996)	MULTI-SET % (JULY 1995)
611	ROCHESTR-MASON CITY-AUSTIN	137,650	69	581	TERRE HAUTE TOLEDO TOPEKA TRAVERSE CITY-CADILLAC TRI-CITIES, TN-VA	153,120	68
610	ROCHERD	163,880	74	547		406,090	72
862	SALISBURY	1,100,810	72	805		153,660	65
576	SALISBURY	102,080	74	540		206,020	68
770	SALI LAKE CITY	656,080	71	531		283,890	67
861	SAN ANGELO	49,480	65	789	TUCSON(NOGALES) TULSA TUSCALOOSA TWIN FALLS TYLER-LONGVIEW(LFKNANCGD)	343, 860	68
641	SAN ANTONIO	636,080	71	671		459, 320	70
825	SAN DIEBO	900,420	67	620		57, 800	69
807	SAN FRANCISCO-OAK-SAN JOSE	2,257,210	71	760		47, 800	6 0
855	SANTABARBRA-SANNAR-SANLUOB	210,700	62	709		222, 940	71
507	SAVANNAH	253,830	71	528	UTICA	97,560	65
819	SEATTLE-TACOMA	1,484,150	68	826	VICTORIA	27,970	70
657	SHEMMAN-ADA	100,130	64	825	WACO-TEMPLE-BRYAN	273,260	70
612	SHEWEPONT	358,730	70	511	WACOMETROWN, DC	1,883,560	75
624	SIOUX CITY	153,280	68	549	WATERTOWN	86,950	64
725	SIOUX FALLS(MITCHELL)	228,730	65	705	WAUSAU-RHINELANDER WEST PALM BEACH-FT. PIERCE WHEELING-STEUBENVILLE WICHITA FALLS & LAWTON WICHITA-HUTCHINSON PLUS	172,840	69
588	SOUTH BEND-ELKHART	304,800	75	548		576,460	76
881	SPOKANE	308,250	62	554		157,290	75
543	SPRINGFIELD-HOLYOKE	242,110	69	627		154,530	69
619	SPRINGFIELD, MO	353,560	62	678		424,500	67
638	ST. JOSEPH	53,430	62	577	WILKES BARRE-SCRANTON WILMINGTON YAKIMA-PASCO-RCHLND-KNNHCK YOUNGSTOMN YUMA-EL CENTRO	552,910	72
609	ST. LOUIS	1,108,480	72	550		123,890	71
555	SYRACUSE	383,880	70	810		193,510	66
530	TALLAHASSEE-THOMASVILLE	208,870	68	536		274,800	76
539	TAMPA-ST. PETE, SARASOTA	1,395,480	71	771		82,670	63
				596	ZANESVILLE	31,360	70

Estimate of Market Value of Video Channel, Per-View Per Month Based on Over-the-Air Charges In The Washington ADI

Station	\$/Half Hour, Lowest	Lowest Average Rate/Viewer/Month		
WRC	\$ 2,500	Half-Hours Per Day:		48
WJLA	\$ 2,000	Average Lowest Cost/Half-Hour:	\$	996
WTTG	\$ 1,000	Average Lowest Cost/Day:	\$	47,787
WTMW	\$ 950	Asssumed Days/Month:		30
WUSA	\$ 800	Average Lowest Cost/Month:	\$ 1	1,433,600
WBDC	\$ 750	TV viewers in DC ADI	1	1,883,590
WDCA	\$ 500	Average Lowest Cost/Viewer/Month	\$	0.76
WHAG	\$ 350			
WJAL	\$ 110	Highest Average Rate/Viewer/Month		
Average	\$ 996	Half-Hours Per Day:		48
		Average Highest Cost/Half-Hour:	\$	6,867
Station	\$/Half Hour, Highest	Average Highest Cost/Day:	\$	329,600
WTTG	\$ 25,000	Asssumed Days/Month:		30
WJLA	\$ 18,000	Average Highest Cost/Month:	\$ 9	9,888,000
WUSA	\$ 10,000	TV viewers in DC ADI	•	1,883,590
WRC	\$ 2,500	Average Highest Cost/Viewer/Month:	\$	5.25
WBDC	\$ 2,500			
WDCA	\$ 1,400	Weighted Average Calculation		
WHAG	\$ 1,200	Weight to lowest rate		90%
WTMW	\$ 1,000	Weight to highest rate		10%
WJAL	\$ 200	Lowest rate, weighted	\$	0.68
Average	\$ 6,867	Highest rate, weighted	\$	0.52
		Weighted Average	\$	1.21

Station	Times Available	Rate(s) Per Half Hour
WTTG	2-3 a.m. (all days)	\$1,000-\$3,500
	5-5:30 a.m. (Sat)	\$1,200
	10-11 a.m. (Sun)	\$12,000-\$35,000
WJLA	12:30-1:00 p.m. (Sun)	\$18,000
	3:00-3:30 a.m. (Sat)	\$2,000
WUSA	1:35-5:30 a.m. (Sun)	\$1,500-\$3,000
	2:05-5:30 a.m. (Sat)	\$800-\$2,500
	12:00-6:00 p.m. (Sat & Sun)	\$10,000
WRC	2:30-3 a.m. (Sat)	\$2,500
WBDC	10:00-10:30 a.m (M-F)	\$1,350
	1:00-1:30 a.m. (M-F)	\$900
	10:00-11:00 a.m. (Sun)	\$2,000-\$2,500
	12:00-1:30 a.m. (Sun)	\$750-\$1,000
WDCA	5:30-6:00 a.m. (Sat)	\$700
	1:00-2:00 a.m. (Sun)	\$1,200-\$1,400
	5:00-6:00 a.m. (Sun)	\$500-\$600
WHAG	1:00-7:00 p.m. (Sat & Sun)	\$900-\$ 1,200
	7:00-7:30 a.m. (Sun)	\$350-\$500
WTMW	all	\$950-\$1,000
WJAL	9:30-10:00 a.m. (Sun)	\$200
	11:30 p.m12:00m (Sat & Sun)	\$200
	12:30-1:00 a.m. (M-Th)	\$110
	1:00-2:00 p.m. (M-F)	\$175